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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No.	1341.1177
Application Number	10/764,523
Filing Date	January 27, 2004
First Named Inventor	Kenji NAKASHIMA
Group Art Unit	3625

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

220.00

Examiner Name

William J. Allen

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	22	- 20 =	2	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 100.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of September 9, 2006, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):

\$120.00

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

\$ 220.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 &amp; 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE =

\$ 220.00

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☐ No payment is enclosed.

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION**

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No.

19-3935

Deposit Account Name

STAAS &amp; HALSEY LLP

- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS &amp; HALSEY LLP

Typed Name David J. Cutitta

Reg. No.

52,790

Signature

Date

October 10, 2006

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Docket No.: 1341.1177

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Masakazu KOJIMA

Serial No. 10/764,523

Group Art Unit: 3625

Confirmation No. 9957

Filed: January 27, 2004

Examiner: William J. Allen

For: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING GROUP PURCHASING  
SERVICE, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 9, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on September 9, 2006. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to October 9, 2006 (Columbus Day).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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